HOUSE BILL 904

By Hill

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51, relative to state government.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 9-4-51__. Notwithstanding the provisions of this part or any other provision of law to the contrary, the budget of the state government shall be prepared and adopted on a biennial basis.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1006(1), is amended by deleting the word "annually" and by substituting instead the word "biennially".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.